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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Title:	Method of Making a Patterned Magnetic Recording Head	Group Art Unit: Unknown

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop PATENT APPLICATION  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

Please preliminarily amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.